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L1 197 S TEXTURE (4A) MAP####  
L2 258 S (BILINEAR OR BI LINEAR) (4A) INTERPOLAT###  
L3 19 S L1 AND L2  
L4 11 S L3 AND (LUT OR LOOK UP)  
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*updated 3/5/02*

L2 1 L1 AND TEXTURE#

=> d kwic

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L2: 1 of 1

SUMMARY:

BSUM(4)

Image . . . include distortion compensation of imaging sensors, decalibration for image registration, geometrical normalization for image analysis and display, map projection, and \*\*texture\*\* mapping for image synthesis.

SUMMARY:

BSUM(20)

There . . . single input value is correctly handled when undergoing magnification. For a review of these techniques, see Heckbert, P., "Survey of \*\*Texture\*\* Mapping", IEEE Computer Graphics and Applications, vol. 6, no. 11, pp. 56-67, November 1986.

SUMMARY:

BSUM(61)

The . . . (b) maximized the area of the intermediate image, it actually caused more severe aliasing (see Smith, A. R., "Planar 2-Pass \*\*Texture\*\* Mapping and Warping," Computer Graphics, (SIGGRAPH '87 Proceedings), vol. 21, no. 4, pp. 263-272, July 1987). This non-intuitive result is. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(9)

In . . . for the user to specify ZLUT which associates a z coordinate value with each pixel. This allows warping of planar \*\*textures\*\* onto non-planar surfaces, and is useful in dealing with foldovers. The objective, however, is not to solve the general 3-D. . .  
=> d

1. \*\*5,204,944\*\*, Apr. 20, 1993, Separable image warping methods and systems using spatial lookup tables; George Wolberg, et al., 395/127; 345/139; 382/276, 277, 304; 395/119 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]  
=> d his

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L1 1 S 5204944/PN  
L2 1 S L1 AND TEXTURE#  
=> s l1 and fraction##  
197779 FRACTION##  
L3 1 L1 AND FRACTION##

=> d kwic

US PAT NO: \*\*5,204,944\*\* [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

L3: 1 of 1

DETDESC:

DETD(27)

If . . . fit in one output pixel, compute the location of the next output pixel boundary and update the current position and \*\*fraction\*\* of input pixel remaining. Using the gradient information compute the value of the interpolated intensity half way to said boundary, . . .

DETDESC:

DETD(34)

As . . . 8(a), at 200, it is assumed that computations are done on n bit fixed point numbers with f bits of \*\*fraction\*\*, d bits of integer, and one sign bit. It is further assumed that the number is in signed magnitude representation, . . .

DETDESC:

DETD(42)

When enabled, the trunc units 208,211, set the \*\*fractional\*\* parts of their respective fixed point inputs to zero, see FIG. 8(d) 203. When disabled they pass the data through. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(46)

Unit 226 is an f bit AND gate that outputs a single bit signifying whether or not the \*\*fractional\*\* part of curL is zero. It is connected to the last f bits of the connection from trunc unit 208. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(60)

The multiplier unit with storage 218 multiplies the f bit \*\*fraction\*\*

on its left input (connected to the \*\*fractional\*\* field of dist 220) by the n bit fixed point number on its right input (from the storage of division. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(94)

A . . . bottleneck flag is set to one, then that pixel makes no contribution to B.sub.x. The bottleneck image thus reflects the \*\*fraction\*\* of each pixel in the intermediate image not subject to bottleneck distortion in the first pass. The computations are straightforward, . . .

DETDESC:

DETD(102)

In . . . of potential folds may be large. Furthermore, it is often the case that the folded area may represent a small \*\*fraction\*\* of the output image. Thus, using one frame buffer per fold would be both inefficient and very expensive.

=> s l1 and (fraction## (p) lut)

197779 FRACTION##

1216 LUT

26 FRACTION## (P) LUT

L4 0 L1 AND (FRACTION## (P) LUT)

=> s l1 and lut

1216 LUT

L5 0 L1 AND LUT

=> s l1 and (fraction## (p) (xlut or ylut))

197779 FRACTION##

8 XLUT

8 YLUT

0 FRACTION## (P) (XLUT OR YLUT)

L6 0 L1 AND (FRACTION## (P) (XLUT OR YLUT))

=> s l1 and (xlut or ylut)

8 XLUT

8 YLUT

L7 1 L1 AND (XLUT OR YLUT)

=> d kwic

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L7: 1 of 1

DETDESC:

DETD(4)

The . . . resampler 28 warps or transforms y coordinate data, which will be described in the context of a spatial lookup table **\*\*YLUT\*\***, so that the second pass via intensity sampler 32 can access coordinate data without the need for an inverse function.. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(7)

In . . . are shown as input terminals 11, 12 and 13 for respectively supplying data for input image I, x value data **\*\*XLUT\*\***, and y value data **\*\*YLUT\*\***. Generally, the input image data may represent values of intensity or luminance of a pixel or a plurality of pixels. . . a three color component system such as red, green and blue, or any values relating to an image. Similarly, the **\*\*XLUT\*\*** input data may represent values of a first coordinate to which pixels of the input image are to be transferred in an output image and the **\*\*YLUT\*\*** data may represent such values for a second coordinate.

DETDESC:

DETD(8)

Scanline . . . and Y. Sampling X and Y over all input points yields data representative of two new real-valued images, designated as **"\*\*XLUT\*\*"** and **"\*\*YLUT\*\*"**, specifying the point-to-point mapping from each pixel in the input image onto the output image. **\*\*XLUT\*\*** and **\*\*YLUT\*\*** will be referred to as spatial lookup tables since they can be viewed as 2-D tables which express a spatial. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(9)

In addition to **\*\*XLUT\*\*** and **\*\*YLUT\*\***, as will be further discussed with reference to FIG. 3, provision is also made for the user to specify ZLUT.

DETDESC:

DETD(11)

For each pixel (u, v) in input image I, spatial lookup tables **\*\*XLUT\*\***, **\*\*YLUT\*\***, and ZLUT are indexed at location (u, v) to determine the corresponding (x, y, z) position of the input point. . . The z coordinate will only be used to resolve foldovers. This straightforward indexing applies only if the dimensions of I, **\*\*XLUT\*\***, **\*\*YLUT\*\*** and ZLUT

are all identical. If this is not the case, then the smaller images are upsampled (magnified or expanded).

DETDESC:

DETD(20)

As an example, consider the 1-D arrays shown in FIG. 6. The first row is taken from **\*\*XLUT\*\***, the second from **\*\*YLUT\*\***, and the third from input intensity image I. The next two arrays show **\*\*YLUT\*\*** and I resampled according to **\*\*XLUT\*\***.

DETDESC:

DETD(67)

In FIG. 2, input image I is shown being warped according to **\*\*XLUT\*\*** to generate intermediate image I.sub.x. In order to apply the second pass, **\*\*YLUT\*\*** is warped alongside I.sub.x, yielding **\*\*YLUT\*\***.sub.x. This resampled spatial lookup table is applied to I, in the second pass. The result is output image I.sub.xy. Referring. . . intermediate pixel value data representing the input image pixel values of image I after being warped or resampled according to **\*\*XLUT\*\*** to give effect to image compression variations along the direction of a first coordinate x, to generate intermediate image I.sub.x, . . . pixel value data representing the intermediate image pixel values from output 27 of means 26 after being resampled according to **\*\*YLUT\*\***.sub.x, to give effect to image compression variations along the direction of the second coordinate y, to generate preliminary output image. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(70)

**\*\*YLUT\*\***.sub.x is computed in the coordinate resampler means 28 depicted in the second row of channel 20 in FIG. 2. The ability to resample **\*\*YLUT\*\*** for use in the second pass has important consequences: it circumvents the need for a closed-form inverse of the first. . . the u coordinate associated with a pixel in the intermediate image. Thus, instead of computing the inverse to index into **\*\*YLUT\*\***, we simply warp **\*\*YLUT\*\*** into **\*\*YLUT\*\***.sub.x, allowing direct access in the second pass.

DETDESC:

DETD(71)

The . . . similar to the intensity resampler 26. It differs only in

the notable absence of antialiasing filtering--the output coordinate values in **\*\*YLUT\*\*.sub.x** are computed by point sampling **\*\*YLUT\*\***. Interpolation is used to compute values when no input data is supplied at the resampling locations. However, unlike the intensity. . . coordinate values of other contributions to that pixel. This serves to secure the accuracy of edge coordinates as represented in **\*\*YLUT\*\*.sub.x**, even when the edge occupies only a partial output pixel.

DETDESC:

DETD(72)

The following example demonstrates the coordinate resampling algorithm. Consider the arrays shown before in FIG. 6. **\*\*YLUT\*\*.sub.x** in the example is the output of the coordinate resampling as computed below. Notice that the output consists of point. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(73)

As . . . of FIG. 3, we also apply this resampling to **ZLUT** in exactly the same manner as it was applied to **\*\*YLUT\*\***, as will be discussed further.

DETDESC:

DETD(81)

This . . . computed from the sparse samples by interpolation. For example, linear interpolation can be used to increase the spatial resolution of **\*\*XLUT\*\*** and **\*\*YLUT\*\***. The resulting image in FIG. 13 is shown to be antialiased, and clearly superior to its counterpart in FIG. 12.. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(88)

If . . . due to horizontal shearing and/or perspective need to be considered in this case. The vertical scale factor, **vfctr**, for **\*\*XLUT\*\*** and **\*\*YLUT\*\*** is given by **vfctr=MAX(.DELTA.X.sub.AC, .DELTA.X.sub.BD)**. Briefly this measures the maximum deviation in the horizontal direction for a unit step in. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(98)

Up . . . For instance, consider the 1-D arrays shown in the following table. They denote the input intensities I and their respective \*\*XLUT\*\* coordinate values for a given image row.

DETD(98):

DETD(99)

\*\*XLUT\*\*=0.6, 2.3, 3.2, 2.0, 4.2

DETD(98):

DETD(101)

Unlike the example in FIG. 6, note that \*\*XLUT\*\* is not monotonic. that is, \*\*XLUT\*\* now specifies a 1-D path which folds back upon itself, as the \*\*XLUT\*\* values successively increase, then decrease, then increase. In particular, the first three input pixel values are resampled and stored in. . . left-to-right order from x=2.0 to x=4.2. Thus, two foldovers are present because two sign changes exist between adjacent entries in \*\*XLUT\*\*. Of course, when \*\*XLUT\*\* is monotonically increasing or decreasing, no foldovers exist.

DETD(98):

DETD(103)

To . . . are to be displayed. The simplest mechanism, and probably the most useful, is to make provision for supplying not only \*\*XLUT\*\* and \*\*YLUT\*\*, but also ZLUT in order to specify the output z coordinate for each input pixel. In the first pass ZLUT will be processed in the same manner as \*\*YLUT\*\*, so the second pass of the intensity resampler can have access to the z-coordinates. Thus, as shown in FIG. 3, . . .

DETD(98):

DETD(106)

The . . . front layer, which we shall refer to as the zero foldover layer, is initialized with the first left-to-right span between \*\*XLUT\*\* values x=0.6 and x=3.2. the next span, from x=3.2 to x=2.0, forces several columns to become multi-valued as they are. . .

DETD(98):



DETD(111)

In order to signify the end of a vertical span, the negative value of the y-coordinates of \*\*YLUT\*\*.sub.x are stored. Since negative y-coordinates are considered invalid in this system (offsets must be added to make negative coordinates become. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(112)

This . . . the data structure for vertical scanlines. Notice that the multiple channels of information that comprise the intermediate image (I.sub.x, B.sub.x, \*\*YLUT\*\*.sub.x, ZLUT.sub.x) are collapsed into one structure for convenience. It is important to note that image I.sub.x can actually contain color. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(133)

Input . . . pixel of the image is to be transferred in the output image. In FIG. 2, these values are denoted as \*\*XLUT\*\* and \*\*YLUT\*\* which are characterized as look-up tables of the values of the first and second coordinates, x and y. These coordinates. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(135)

Shear . . . in the image for developing at first and second outputs 23 and 24 scaled x and y coordinate data representing \*\*XLUT\*\* and \*\*YLUT\*\* values of a magnified output image. By providing a plurality of pixel values in place of each pixel value of the basic output image, as by interpolation of input coordinate samples as discussed above, the spatial resolution of \*\*XLUT\*\* and \*\*YLUT\*\* is, in effect, increased to alleviate jagged edges indicative of undersampled coordinate data. Shear resampler 22 is also coupled to. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(136)

"Basic . . . output image in its desired final format, (i.e.--before any magnification of the final image). First coordinate data is identified as \*\*XLUT\*\* at input terminal 12, as well as at output 23 of shear resampler 22. Although the data at output 23. . . magnification,

depending on the presence of shear conditions, for simplicity the same label is used. The same is true for \*\*YLUT\*\* (and ZLUT in FIG. 3).

DETDESC:

DETD(138)

Coordinate . . . shear resampler 22 and functions to develop at a first output 29 modified second coordinate data. This data, indicated as \*\*YLUT\*\*.sub.x, represents the scaled \*\*YLUT\*\* values from resampler 27 after resampling in resampler 28 responsive to \*\*XLUT\*\* values to give effect to image compression variations occurring along the direction of the first or x coordinate. At its second output 30 the coordinate resampler 28 develops a signal B.sub.x, which represents excised y coordinate data representing \*\*YLUT\*\* data from putput 24 which has been resampled so as to delete values for pixels subject to positive compression variations. . . .

DETDESC:

DETD(141)

The . . . 15 transposed input image value data, indicated as I.sup.T. The transposed first and second coordinate data are similarly developed as \*\*XLUT\*\*.sup.T and \*\*YLUT\*\*.sup.T representing x and y coordinate data of \*\*XLUT\*\* and \*\*YLUT\*\*, respectively, based on an image transposition or change in orientation.

DETDESC:

DETD(150)

In . . . of a three-dimensional geometric model which may be supplied to terminal 13 from a computer, as discussed with reference to \*\*XLUT\*\* and \*\*YLUT\*\* in FIG. 2.

DETDESC:

DETD(151)

As . . . z value terminals 12, 13 and 14, respectively, operates on ZLUT in the same way shear resampler 22 operates on \*\*YLUT\*\* in FIG. 2, for developing at first and second outputs 83 and 84 scaled x and z coordinate data representing \*\*XLUT\*\* and ZLUT values. It should be noted that as an alternative to developing these \*\*XLUT\*\* values in channel 80, the \*\*XLUT\*\* values developed at output 23 of resampler 22, as shown in channel 20 of FIG. 2, can be supplied to coordinate sampler 88 in channel

80. FIG. 4 shows shear resampler 22A which in addition to developing \*\*XLUT\*\* and \*\*YLUT\*\* as previously described with reference to resampler 22, similarly develops ZLUT so that \*\*XLUT\*\* and ZLUT can be coupled to coordinate resampler 88 from resampler 22A, eliminating the need for an additional shear resampler. . . .

DETDESC:

DETD(152)

Coordinate . . . This data, indicated as ZLUT.sub.x, represents the scaled ZLUT values from resampler 82 after resampling in resampler 88 responsive to \*\*XLUT\*\* values to give effect to image compression variations occurring along the direction of the first or x coordinate.

DETDESC:

DETD(164)

Gray . . . from both sources. Ties are arbitrarily resolved in favor of I.sub.xy.sup.T. Finally, in FIG. 26(d), the two spatial lookup tables \*\*XLUT\*\* (on left) and \*\*YLUT\*\* that defined the circular warp, are displayed as intensity images, with y increasing top-to-bottom, and x increasing left-to-right. Bright intensity values in the images of \*\*XLUT\*\* and \*\*YLUT\*\* denote high coordinate values. Note that if the input were to remain undistorted \*\*XLUT\*\* and \*\*YLUT\*\* would be ramps. The deviation from the ramp configuration depicts the amount of deformation which the input image undergoes.

DETDESC:

DETD(165)

FIG. 27 demonstrates the effect of undersampling the spatial lookup tables. The checkerboard is again warped into a circle. However, \*\*XLUT\*\* and \*\*YLUT\*\* were supplied at lower resolution. FIG. 27(a) and (b) show I.sub.xy and I.sub.xy.sup.T, respectively, and FIG. 27(c) shows the output. . . .

DETDESC:

DETD(166)

FIG. 28(a) illustrates an example of foldover. FIG. 28(b) shows \*\*XLUT\*\* (on left) and \*\*YLUT\*\*. A foldover occurs because \*\*XLUT\*\* is not monotonically increasing from left to right. In FIG. 29 (a) and (b), the foldover regions are shown magnified. . . .

DETDESC:

DETD(167)

FIG. . . . shows the result of bending horizontal rows. For the checkerboard, in FIG. 30(a), and Madonna, FIG. 30(b). FIG. 30(c) illustrates \*\*XLUT\*\* (on left) and \*\*YLUT\*\* and FIG. 30(d) shows S at the output of selector 74. As we scan across the rows in left-to-right order, . . .

DETDESC:

DETD(168)

FIG. 31 shows a vortex warp of the checkerboard in FIG. 31(a) and Madonna in FIG. 31(b). \*\*XLUT\*\* (on left) and \*\*YLUT\*\* are shown in FIG. 31(c) and FIG. 31(d) shows S at the output of selector 74 in FIG. 2.

CLAIMS:

CLMS(9)

9. . . .

means for supplying luminance data each pixel of a plurality of pixels in a two-dimensional image;

x value means for supplying \*\*XLUT\*\* data;

y value means for supplying \*\*YLUT\*\* data;

a first channel, for processing luminance data to derive image values representing preliminary values of output image pixels, comprising:

shear resampler means coupled to said x value and y value means for

processing \*\*XLUT\*\* data for developing at a first output scaled

\*\*XLUT\*\* data representing \*\*XLUT\*\* of a magnification of said output

image and having a plurality of pixel values in place of each pixel

value of the basic output image, and for processing \*\*XLUT\*\* data for

developing at a second output scaled second coordinate data having a

plurality of pixel values for each pixel. . . x direction;

coordinate resampler means coupled to said first and second shear

resampler outputs for developing at a first output modified \*\*YLUT\*\*

data representing said scaled \*\*YLUT\*\* after resampling to give effect

to image compression variations along the x direction, and for

developing at a second output. . .

transposing means coupled to said input image, x value and y value means

for developing transposed input image and transposed \*\*XLUT\*\* and

\*\*YLUT\*\* data representative of said input and output images

respectively after transposing their coordinates to a second

orientation;

a second channel, for. . .

# CLAIMS:

CLMS(12)

12. . . .

means for supplying luminance data each pixel of a plurality of pixels in a two-dimensional image;

x value means for supplying \*\*XLUT\*\* data;

y value means for supplying \*\*YLUT\*\* data;

z value means for supplying ZLUT data;

a first channel, for processing luminance data to derive image values representing preliminary values of output image pixels, comprising:

shear resampler means coupled to said x value and y value means for

processing \*\*XLUT\*\* data for developing at a first output scaled

\*\*XLUT\*\* data representing \*\*XLUT\*\* of a magnification of said output

image and having a plurality of pixel values in place of each pixel

value of the basic output image, and for similarly processing \*\*XLUT\*\*

data for developing at a second output scaled second coordinate data

having a plurality of pixel values for each pixel. . . x direction;

coordinate resampler means coupled to said first and second shear

resampler outputs for developing at a first output modified \*\*YLUT\*\*

data representing said scaled \*\*YLUT\*\* after resampling to give effect

to image compression variations along the x direction, and for

developing at a second output. . . the direction of said y

coordinate;

a first z channel, for processing ZLUT data, comprising:

terminal means for supplying scaled \*\*XLUT\*\* data as developed at said

first shear resampler output of said first channel;

z shear resampler means coupled to said x value, y value and z value

means for developing scaled \*\*XLUT\*\* data representing \*\*XLUT\*\* of a

magnification of said output image and having a plurality of pixel

values in place of each pixel value. . .

coupled to said input image, x value, y value and z value means for

developing transposed nput image and transposed \*\*XLUT\*\*, \*\*YLUT\*\* and

ZLUT data representative of said input and output images respectively

after transposing coordinates of said images to a second. . .

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=> s l1 and weight###

721039 WEIGHT###

L8 1 L1 AND WEIGHT###

=> d kwic

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L8: 1 of 1

SUMMARY:

BSUM(19)

The . . . it covers. Thus each position in the accumulator array evaluates  $\sum_{i=1}^N f_{sub.i} w_{sub.i}$  where  $f_{sub.i}$  is the input value,  $w_{sub.i}$  is the **weight** reflecting its coverage of the output pixel, and N is the total number of deposits into the cell. Note that. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(15)

The . . . be mapped onto the output along a single direction, i.e., with no folds. As each input pixel arrives, it is **weighted** by its partial contribution to the current output pixel and integrated into a single-element accumulator. For input pixels that spread. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(21)

The . . . is given in FIG. 7. For clarity the following notation is used: interpolated input values are written within square brackets, **weights** denoting contributions to output pixels are written within an extra level of parentheses, and input intensity values are printed in. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(22)

The . . . interpolation is used to reconstruct the discrete input. When more than one input element contributes to an output pixel, the **weighted** results are integrated in an accumulator to achieve antialiasing. These two cases are both represented in the above equations, as. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(94)

A . . . The computations are straightforward, and serve a secondary function in that the data entries correspond exactly to the information or **\*\*weighting\*\*** needed for antialiasing in the intensity resample stage. Thus a local distortion measure is obtained at virtually no additional cost. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(166)

FIG. . . . is more apparent along the fold upon the cheek. The intensity drop is due to the antialiasing filtering that correctly **\*\*weighted\*\*** the pixels with their area coverage along the edge. This can be resolved by integrating partially visible pixels in front-to-back. .

=> s l1 and coefficient#

142550 COEFFICIENT#

L9 0 L1 AND COEFFICIENT#

=> s l1 and ("f.sub.i" or "w.sub.i")

639148 "F"

795787 "SUB"

1384402 "I"

3423 "F.SUB.I"

("F" (W) "SUB" (W) "I")

282850 "W"

795787 "SUB"

1384402 "I"

1963 "W.SUB.I"

("W" (W) "SUB" (W) "I")

L10 1 L1 AND ("F.SUB.I" OR "W.SUB.I")

=> d kwic

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L10: 1 of 1

SUMMARY:

BSUM(19)

The . . . the relative area of the output pixel that it covers. Thus each position in the accumulator array evaluates **##EQU1##** where **\*\*f\*\*.****\*\*sub\*\*.****\*\*i\*\*** is the input value, **\*\*w\*\*.****\*\*sub\*\*.****\*\*i\*\*** is the weight

reflecting its coverage of the output pixel, and  $N$  is the total number of deposits into the. . .

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228930 ALPHA

L11 0 L1 AND ALPHA

=> s l1 and transparen##

178095 TRANSPAREN##

L12 0 L1 AND TRANSPAREN##

=> s l1 and interpolat###

18459 INTERPOLAT###

L13 1 L1 AND INTERPOLAT###

=> d kwic

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L13: 1 of 1

SUMMARY:

BSUM(17)

The forward mapping consists of **\*\*interpolating\*\*** each input pixel into the output image at positions determined by the X and Y mapping functions. Each input pixel. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(15)

The . . . a single-element accumulator. For input pixels that spread out over many output pixels, image reconstruction is currently implemented with linear **\*\*interpolation\*\***. In terms of the input and output streams, one of three conditions is possible:

DETDESC:

DETD(18)

(3) . . . output pixel will be completed without entirely consuming the current input pixel. In this case, a new input value is **\*\*interpolated\*\*** from the neighboring input pixels at the position where the input was no longer consumed. It is used as the. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(21)

The computation of the resampled intensity values is given in FIG. 7. For clarity the following notation is used: **\*\*interpolated\*\*** input values are written within square brackets, weights denoting contributions to output pixels are written within an extra level of. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(22)

The algorithm demonstrates both image reconstruction and antialiasing. When not positioned at pixel boundaries in the input stream, linear **\*\*interpolation\*\*** is used to reconstruct the discrete input. When more than one input element contributes to an output pixel, the weighted. .

DETD(23):

DETD(24)

While . . . errors proportional to the intensity gradient across the interval. The following resampling algorithm exactly computes the area coverage assuming linear **\*\*interpolation\*\*** between adjacent intensity values.

DETD(25):

DETD(26)

If . . . to the accumulator. The area is obtained by finding midpoint of the current interval, using the gradient to compute the **\*\*interpolation\*\*** there, and then multiplying by the length of the interval. With linear **\*\*interpolation\*\***, this midpoint rule provides the exact area of the region. Since that input pixel is finished, the next one is. . .

DETD(27):

DETD(28)

If . . . and update the current position and fraction of input pixel remaining. Using the gradient information compute the value of the **\*\*interpolated\*\*** intensity half way to said boundary, and use this to compute the area coverage and obtain the resampled value, which. . .

DETD(29):

DETD(30)

The . . . resampling intensity. However, with minor modifications, it can be used as a coordinate resampling algorithm (which also benefits from the **\*\*interpolation\*\*** at midpoints, without area resampling). The modified code is:

DETD(31):

DETD(53)

The . . . register with accumulator 205 is referred to as curi and holds the current value of the intensity at the current **\*\*interpolation\*\***. It is needed to compute the area under the **\*\*interpolation\*\*** for intensity resampling, or it is the value if doing coordinate resampling. The input of the register is connected to. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(54)

The n bit register 206, referred to as nexti, holds the image data for the next point in the **\*\*interpolation\*\*** (the **\*\*interpolation\*\*** is between the values curi and nexti). Storing is enabled by the micro-code statement GETNEXTI, with inputs connected to the. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(55)

The n bit register 210, referred to as curL, holds the location data for the current point along the **\*\*interpolation\*\***. Storing is enabled when either the micro-control command GETNEXTL or TRUNCCURL is issued. The input is from the 2 to. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(56)

The n bit register 212, referred to as nextL, holds the location data for the next point in the **\*\*interpolation\*\*** (**\*\*interpolation\*\*** is from location curL to location nextL). Storing is enabled by the micro-code statement GETNEXTL, with the inputs connected to. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(71)

The . . . differs only in the notable absence of antialiasing filtering--the output coordinate values in YLUT.sub.x are computed by point sampling YLUT. **\*\*Interpolation\*\*** is used to compute values when no input data is supplied at the resampling locations. However, unlike the intensity resampler. . .

DETDESC:

DETD(81)

This . . . densely. If the continuous mapping functions are no longer available, then new values are computed from the sparse samples by **\*\*interpolation\*\***. For example, linear **\*\*interpolation\*\*** can be used to increase the spatial resolution of XLUT and YLUT. The resulting image in FIG. 13 is shown. . . .

DETDDESC:

DETD(135)

Shear . . . By providing a plurality of pixel values in place of each pixel value of the basic output image, as by **\*\*interpolation\*\*** of input coordinate samples as discussed above, the spatial resolution of XLUT and YLUT is, in effect, increased to alleviate. . . .

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